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## **Course: Servant Leadership**

**Being the Leader God Wants You To Be  
Tyndale Intercultural Ministries Centre**

**Fall 2017**

**Sept 23, Oct 21, Nov 18, Dec 9, 2017 - 9am - 4pm**

### **Course Descriptions**

This course is designed to help you understand Biblical, especially New Testament, perspectives on leadership, while at the same time developing your own abilities as a leader. Through our time together we hope you will discover your leadership styles, understand your spiritual gifts and abilities, learn how to enable and empower others to lead like Jesus, and discover how to lead teams and influence others for Kingdom ministry.

### **Learning Objectives**

- Understand and articulate how worldview and culture impact our approach to leadership.
- Differentiate between cultural norms of leadership and a Biblical approach to servant leadership.
- Analyze how your leadership style, and how (if necessary) you might adopt a more Christ-like style of leadership.
- Analyze your own personal style of working with others and identify areas where you need to modify your leadership style in order to enable and empower others.
- Describe the major areas of leadership responsibility and how a servant leadership approach operates within each area and enhances the value of each one.
- Explain the value of empowering your team to enhance the impact of your leadership.
- Apply the principles and values of servant leadership to your current or proposed work or ministry.

## Course Schedule

<b>Session Date</b>	<b>Facilitators and Session Topics</b>
<b>September 23</b>	<b>Karl Mueller and Dr. Nagi and Suzie Said</b> Course Introduction Worldview, Culture and Leadership Kingdom Perspectives on Leadership Understanding Your Leadership Style
<b>October 21</b>	<b>Suzie Said and Marithza Andagoya</b> Influence and Power Selecting the Right Leaders for Your Team Building Teams Mentoring and Developing Others
<b>November 18</b>	<b>Jane Overstreet</b> Mission, Vision and Values Leading Change
<b>December 9</b>	<b>Karl Mueller and Marithza Andagoya</b> Resolving Conflict Integrity and Accountability Review and Next Steps

## Course Expectations

TIM Centre has three ways in assessing your participation. They are as follows:

**Certificate of Attendance:** This is an audit whereby the participant attends all classes and participates in class discussion

**Certificate of Completion:** All assignments are completed to a satisfactory level

**Certificate of Distinction:** All assignments are completed to a level of distinction

## Course Assignments

### **Book Review – Due November 18, 2017**

Students will be asked to read the book **Unleader: The Surprising Qualities of a Valuable Leader** by Jane Overstreet. Your book review should be 3-5 pages in length (using 11 point font) and include the following:

- The title, publisher, year of publication and your full name.
- A brief introduction to the book (one paragraph of 3-5 sentences)
- An explanation of the author’s purpose
- The thesis and themes of the book
- The main points of the book
- The important conclusions the author comes to. Do you agree or disagree with the conclusions? Why or why not?
- Your review should also include an analysis and evaluation of the book. Did you think the author achieved her purpose? What are the strengths and weaknesses of the book? Did the book change your mind on the topic?
- Finally, you should write a conclusion of about 3-5 sentences that tell me why or why not you would recommend the book to others.

**Leadership Paper – Due December 16, 2017**

In this final paper, you will:

- Summarize what you have learned about leadership in this class.
- Talk about the implications of what you have learned for your family, ministry and leadership.
- Suggest some ways in which you will put the principles you have learned into practice.

This paper is an opportunity to demonstrate what you have learned and integrate it with your previous knowledge and leadership experience. This paper should be 6-8 pages in length.

<b>Assignment</b>	<b>Due Date</b>	<b>Percent of Final</b>
Book Review	Nov. 18	40%
Leadership Paper	Dec 16	40%
Class Attendance & participation	Weekly	20%

**General Guidelines for the Submission of Work**

- Keep your paper within the range of length that is assigned.
- Use standard margins, double-spaced, typed, 12 point font.
- Use gender-inclusive language. For example, use “we are made in the image of God” rather than “men are made in the image of God.”

## **Course Facilitators**

**Jane Overstreet** has been the President/CEO of DAI International since 1999. Previously she worked as Director of Legal Services for Youth With A Mission International while living in the Middle East and Europe. She also provided legal consulting services to numerous Christian organizations. Jane holds Juris Doctorate from the University of Tulsa College of Law and has done additional graduate studies in Europe and at Eastern University. Jane and her husband Harold live in Colorado Springs, Colorado.

**Karl Mueller** is the Director of DAI Leadership Ministries in Canada while also providing leadership to DAI's work of training Diaspora leaders in North America. Karl has worked in leadership in Youth With A Mission, as a Missions and Justice pastor in local churches, in the North American Baptist Conference, and as president of a Bible College. He is a graduate of the University of Alberta and the School of Intercultural Studies at Fuller Theological Seminary (Missiology and Leadership Development).

**Dr. Nagi and Suzie Said** are the pastors of Chapel Place Presbyterian Church in Markham, Ontario. Born in Egypt the Said's moved to Canada in 1979. Nagi is a graduate of the Evangelical Theological School in Cairo, Tyndale Theological Seminary in Toronto and Fuller Theological Seminary. Nagi teaches on leadership and spiritual formation in graduate schools in Egypt and other countries in Africa. Suzi has held several senior leadership positions in corporations in North America, Europe and the Middle East. She holds an MA in Leadership and Organizational Management from Evangelical Theological School in Cairo.

**Marithza Andagoya** is a DAI Associate who teaches on leadership related topics in graduate schools in Africa and Asia. She is also a translator that has worked for various mission agencies in North and South America. Marithza holds Master's degrees from Western University (London, Ontario) and Azusa Pacific University (Organizational Leadership). She lives in London, Ontario with her husband and family.